

## LIMITED ONE YEAR CONSUMER WARRANTY ON SELECTED PRODUCTS FROM CHANDLER'S FURNITURE

The name Chandler's Furniture means quality furniture. Chandler's Furniture is proud of that quality - proud enough to give you this consumer warranty on your purchase. We value your satisfaction after the sale as well as before it.

### WHAT OUR WARRANTY MEANS

This warranty is our promise to you that each Warranted item of furniture you have purchased will be free from manufacturing defects. If any defect does appear within one year from the date of retail delivery, we will take the steps described below to correct it. In addition to this one year warranty, an extended warranty applies on all drawer construction and on all upholstery frames and spring construction. NOTE: Certain recliners and mattresses have longer-term warranties and will have their own warranty cards. We also have a 2 year warranty on reshaping cushions.

### WHAT IS COVERED

This warranty protects you only when you purchase Warranted items of furniture for your own normal household use (including use as gifts to other consumers) and not for resale prior to use.

### CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES

WE EXCLUDE AND WILL NOT PAY CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES UNDER THIS WARRANTY. By this we mean any loss, expense, or damage other than to the furniture itself that may result from a defect in the furniture.

### IMPLIED WARRANTIES

NO IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, EXTENDED BEYOND THE ONEYEAR OF THIS WRITTEN WARRANTY. By IMPLIED WARRANTIES we mean ones that the law requires to have been given by the seller even though they are not set out in writing.

### YOU HAVE LEGAL RIGHTS UNDER THIS WARRANTY

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. Except for these other rights, the remedies provided under this warranty state the limit of Chandler's Furniture's responsibilities.

### WHAT CHANDLER'S FURNITURE WILL DO

We will remedy a manufacturing defect in any of our Warranted Products as long as you send a written notice of the defect within one year from the date of your delivery or ten years from drawer construction or upholstery frames. If you believe a manufacturing defect exists, it is important for you to act promptly and notify Chandler's Furniture immediately. After notification, it may be necessary to determine whether or not a defect exists. If defect does exist, Chandler's Furniture will repair at its expense. If Chandler's Furniture determines that repair is not practicable you will be supplied with a new item, if available, of the same or similar color, design, style, and quality. You will not be charged for any repair services or for the new replacement furniture.

### LIMITATIONS ON YOUR WARRANTY COVERAGE

While we believe our warranty is a good one, there are some limits to it. Any of the following things reduce our responsibility under this warranty. Transportation is not included.

### PROPER CARE AND USE

Your new furniture requires some routine maintenance. Please take care to treat your furniture like the fine product it is. Keep it clean, dusted, and polished as necessary. This will prolong its life and help preserve its beauty. Proper care and use are also essential to preserving your rights under this warranty. We will not repair or replace your furniture if damage is caused by improper maintenance or by improper use.

### PROTECTIONS AGAINST ABUSE AND NORMAL WEAR AND TEAR

This warranty does not cover damage resulting from abuse, normal wear and tear, or accidents, including burns, cuts, scratches, scuffs, water marks, stains and indentations.

### PRICE WARRANTY

If the item of furniture purchased is advertised or found at a lower price at any retail furniture store within ten days from the date of purchase, Chandler's Furniture will refund the difference.

### HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM

If you believe a defect exists on any item purchased under this warranty, you must notify Chandler's Furniture in writing. When you send notice, please describe the problem you are having with your furniture as fully as possible.

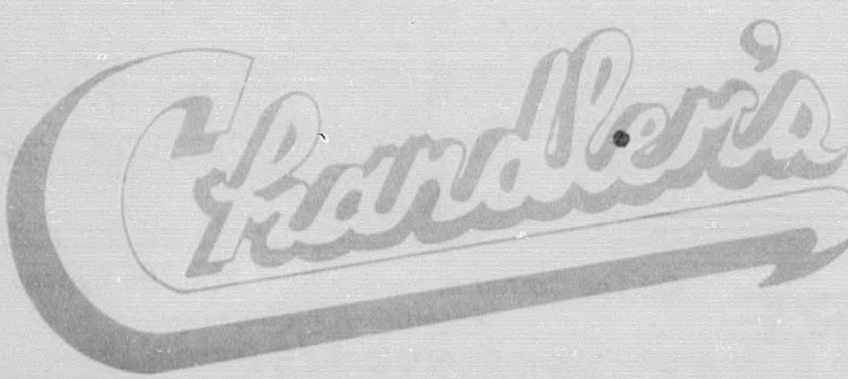
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## 'Billy Boy' bound over to grand jury

After hearing the reading of a "true confession," District Judge Thomas Head bound an Elba man over to the Coffee County Grand

Jury on a charge of capital murder and four counts of forgery. Willie Simmons Jackson, alias "Billy Boy," age 36, of Rt. 3, Elba,

was placed in the Coffee County Jail and denied bond on the capital murder charge, while bond was set at \$10,000 each on the forgery



**STRAIGHTENING OUT THE CURVES**... The Alabama Highway Dept. recently completed construction of a new roadway on Highway 87 South, at Buck Mill Creek, that closed a 1/4-mile portion of the old roadway that included a dangerous S-curve. The construction, which began in 1986 and was completed only recently at a cost of over \$900,000, included the construction of a new

bridge over the creek and the construction of a new roadway south of the bridge, as well as extensive roadbank stabilization. In the photo above, the new roadway can be seen to the right of the closed road and the dangerous S-curve can be seen winding its way around the trees on the left.

## Cut in proration could add \$40,000 to Elba City School System budget

Gov. Guy Hunt announced last week that he had ordered proration in the education budget reduced from five percent to two percent, freeing more than \$50 million in state funds which will be sent to all school systems across Alabama.

Proration, which is an across-the-budget cut that results when the state government approves a budget that exceeds revenue collection, was declared at the rate of five

percent last October and school systems received less funds than anticipated.

"It gives me great pleasure to announce that I have instructed the Finance Dept. to reduce proration in the education fund from five percent to two percent," stated Gov. Hunt. "This reduction will free up more than \$50 million dollars that schools desperately need this summer to meet their obligations. I would like

to remove proration completely, but we are not yet convinced that enough money will be available to permit us to do that now. Now I am making it a top goal to remove the remainder of proration as soon as possible."

The payments will be released to the schools in increments in July, August and September, and the first checks are expected to be sent within two weeks.

Gov. Hunt stated he decided to declare a partial end to proration after careful study showed that a fluctuation in revenue collection would make more money available than originally expected.

"We are convinced that the surge we've seen this year is one-time money," added Hunt, "and we do not believe that money will be there to spend next year, so I will caution the legislature and the local school systems not to plan to spend it again next year."

Elba City Schools Supt. of Education Billy Crews stated the cutback would result in approximately \$40-\$50,000 in funds being received at the local level.

"We'll still get less than expected," said Crews, "but it will help us greatly and may enable us to get out of debt. The added funds will definitely come in at a good time."

### SouthTrust reports record earnings

SouthTrust Corporation has announced record results for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 1987.

Net income for the three months ended June 30, 1987, increased 12 percent to \$14.6 million compared with \$13.1 million for the second quarter of 1986. Net income per share increased to \$.59 from \$.55.

Net income for the first half of 1987 reached \$28.9 million compared with \$25.8 million for the same period of 1986. The per-share comparison for the six months was \$1.17 versus \$1.10.

Total assets as of June 30, 1987, were \$5.3 billion, up 13 percent over June 30, 1986. Deposits increased 10

percent to \$4.1 billion, while loans grew 18 percent to \$3.2 billion.

Wallace D. Malone Jr., chairman and chief executive officer, said, "Our results from the second quarter and the first half of 1987 are extremely good. We've shown solid, steady growth in all areas of the company, and we expect our record of growth and profitability to continue through the rest of the year."

SouthTrust Corporation, a \$5.3 billion regional multibank holding company, is headquartered in Birmingham. SouthTrust Bank of Coffee County, which reported assets of \$66,850,676 on June 30, 1987,

### Elba police to slow speeders on Smith Avenue

Elba Police Chief John Ed White reported this week that because of an increase of speeding on Smith Avenue, police will begin almost around-the-clock radar detection in the area.

Chief White stated that the area leading to Hawkins-Williams Park is congested with children and bicycle riders during the summer and added that he expected police to issue a high number of citations until motorists "slow down and drive safely."

charges. Jackson, a familiar figure in Elba, was arrested Tuesday, July 7, in connection with the beating death of Elmo Roberts, age 87, who was found dead by his landlady at his apartment on Claxton Avenue.

During Monday's preliminary hearing, state pathologist Dr. Fred Paredes testified that the cause of death was from multiple blunt force injuries and stated, "Mr. Roberts had been hit several times in the head with a solid instrument and had multiple cuts to the neck area and his main arteries. He bled to death from his wounds."

A confession made by Jackson to Investigator Bruce DeVane of the Coffee County District Attorney's Office, was read during the hearing

and in what DeVane called a "true confession," the accused told how he killed the elderly Elba man.

In the confession, Jackson said he went to "Pop's" (Roberts) house and was broke, disgusted and wanted money. Jackson said he only wanted to knock Roberts out and take his money, and told the investigator he hit Roberts with an iron used to keep the bathroom door open.

On the taped confession, Jackson stated, "I can't knock him out. Don't want to kill him. I don't know why I'm beating on him."

In continuing to read from the taped confession, DeVane read how Jackson told about hitting Roberts with the iron before cutting him with

a pair of scissors.

"I cut his wrists and neck," Jackson confessed, "and I got the scissors and cut his jugular vein." He later added he placed a broom under the victim's neck and stated, "Put broom on neck, broom broke. Didn't want to listen to him suffer. Still alive after all I cut."

According to the testimony at Monday's hearing, Jackson took Roberts' checkbook, cleaned himself up in the bathroom, took money from the victim's wallet, went downtown and cashed the checks.

"I mostly want to do is knock him out," Jackson told DeVane during the confession. "Get his money and go, not kill him. Say don't know this was in me."

## Mullis sentenced to life in prison

A Georgia man convicted of murder-for-hire in the 1985 shooting death of his wife's lover was sentenced to life in prison this week by a Coffee County jury, in Elba.

Easton Darris "Buddy" Mullis, age 43, was convicted of capital murder after a jury of eight women and four men deliberated for over two hours during the original trial on April 9, 1987. The jury needed only six minutes to agree that Mullis should be sentenced to life without parole, instead of the possible sentence of death in the electric chair.

Mullis was found guilty of hiring two Georgia teenagers to murder James Edward Nelson, age 55, who was living with Mullis' wife at a home near the Glenwood Community in Crenshaw County.

Mrs. Mullis stated during the trial that she had begun an affair with Nelson in 1984 and had left her home in Georgia in 1985 to live with the man. Nelson was abducted at his rural Coffee County home in July,

1985, and later found murdered under the Conecuh River bridge, at the Coffee County-Crenshaw County line.

The teenagers who testified they had been hired to kill Nelson for \$10,000 are Richard Steven Adams and Timothy David Stubbs.

### Addiction seminar set for Dothan

The sixth annual South Alabama Substance Abuse Conference is set for August 12-14 at the Ramada Inn in Dothan. Theme for the conference is "The Many Faces of Addiction."

Dr. Lawrence Wharton, medical director at the Faulkner Center in Austin, Tex., will present the keynote address titled, "The Great Stoned Age." Other guest lecturers will include Cathleen Brooks, author of "The Secret Everyone Knows," Terry Kellog, founder of Compulsive Clinics in Minneapolis, Minn.; and Marti Heur, author of "Happy Days."

Topics addressed during the 3-day conference will include

Adolescent Substance Abuse, Addictions in the Workplace, Aids, Adult Children of Alcoholics, Crack and Cocaine, Sexual Addictions, Substance Abuse Prevention for Young Children, as well as others.

Conference fee is \$100 for the three days, \$60 per day, or \$30 per session. The conference is jointly sponsored by South Central Alabama Mental Health Center, serving Covington, Coffee, Crenshaw and Custer counties, and Wiregrass Mental Health Center and East Central Mental Health Center.

For more information contact your local community mental health center, or call 794-0907.

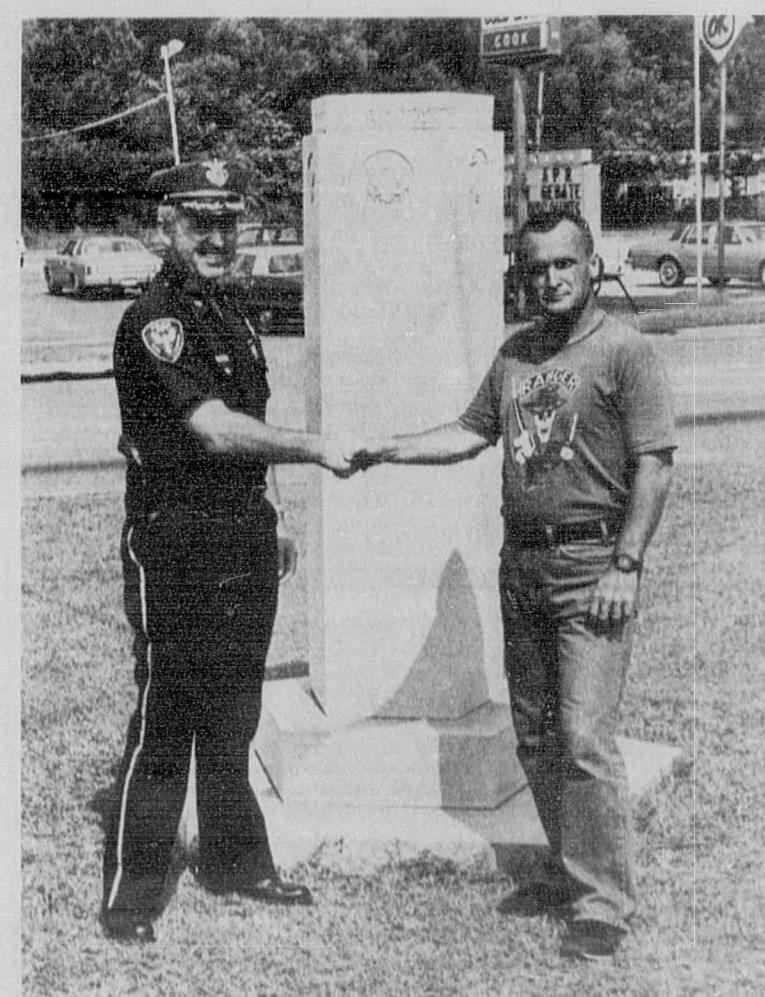
## Former prisoner of war convinced prisoners are still being held

A former Viet Nam prisoner-of-war who has been walking for the past three years, one month and twelve days visited Elba last week and while taking a breather at a local monument dedicated to all who served in the Viet Nam War, stated, "I know there are still prisoners of war alive in Viet Nam and hope that my visits to towns across the nation will stir enough interest to force the leaders of our government to re-negotiate for their release!"

Thomas Clift, age 43, was a prisoner-of-war in Viet Nam for over seven years after being one of ten soldiers ambushed while on a mission to photograph other POW's. Clift was the only member of the team to survive the ambush and was captured and placed in a POW camp. He was released after seven years of confinement, and at the time of release weighed only 67 pounds and faced an 18-month hospital stay.

"I left behind 227 other prisoners when I was released," stated Clift, "and before leaving promised to do everything I could to relay their message to the public and try to get them released. It's been over 16 years since my release, but I know there are still prisoners alive in the camps, and I'm doing what I can to tell the American people about their plight and urging everyone to write their legislators to begin re-negotiations for the release of these brave men."

Clift began his cross-country trek in Portland, Oregon, and traveled south to California before crossing the nation. Upon his arrival at Ft. Bragg, N.C., he began to travel across the southeast United States and has visited South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama during the southward swing.



**EX-POW VISITS ELBA**... Former Viet Nam, prisoner-of-war Thomas Clift is welcomed to Elba by Police Chief John Ed White last week at the Viet Nam Memorial. Clift is walking across the nation in an attempt to publicize the plight of prisoners-of-war still being held in Viet Nam.



# Brainstorms

By Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Tim and Virginia (Stephens) Hornsby will be moving to Henry County around the first of September. Tim has accepted a position as county engineer for Henry County. Both are natives of Coffee County, but have been living in Butler County for several years. Tim worked with the Coffee County engineer's office after completing his college education and went to his present location as assistant county engineer. Tim told us by telephone Tuesday that he was excited about the move and had already met some mighty good folks in Henry County. We wish them luck.

We have had several people ask what was meant by "curbside" in our front-page article last week about garbage and trash pickup. Well, we didn't know but asked and got an exact distance for you. Curbside is within five feet of the curb when the garbage is present, garbage is expected to be within ten feet of the pavement. That is what the man from Scientific said this week. By the way they are reportedly picking up everything right now, but when the trucks are put into service, they will not get your garbage unless it fits in the above distances from the road.

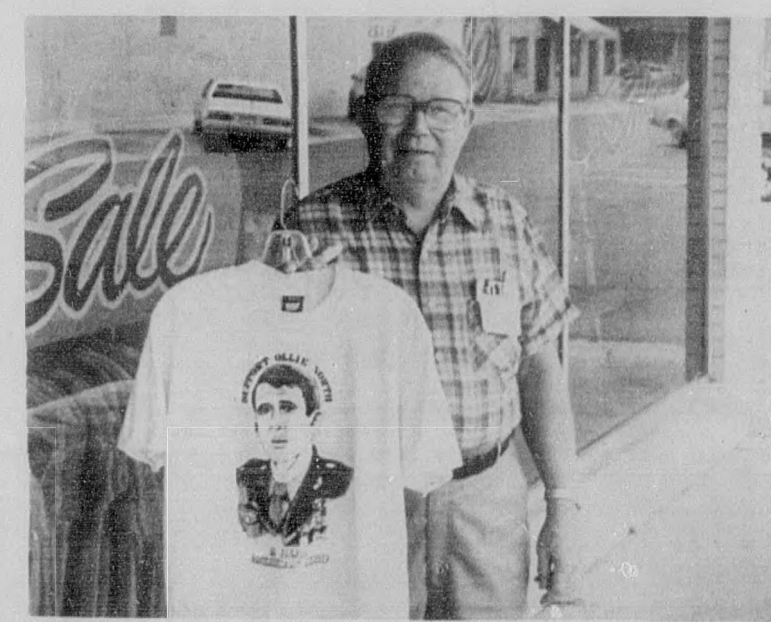
Probate Judge Marion Brunson has a new book coming out . . . soon, or so he promises. We keep asking him when we can get a copy and he notes he is at the mercy of the printers and doesn't know exactly. Anyway we just picked up *Pea River Reflections* and re-read those stories again - just for practice. Hurry, Judge!

We had an organic gardening magazine passed to us with a bit of local news in it. There is a new variety of Irish potato that will be on the market soon. The ELBA is a new release from Cornell University that resists late blight and early blight, verticillium wilt and the golden nematode! It took 18 years to develop and is also a good producer for the commercial grower. We think the name is well chosen, as Elba folks are hearty and can at times be a bit resistant.

We talked with Mrs. Della Whitman recently and she had rattlesnakes on her mind. It seems she walked up on a big one sunning itself behind her barn. Now this great-grandmother was alone, but still knew what to do about a rattlesnake. She got her hoe and committed murder . . . those were her exact words. What she really wanted to say was we should all be careful because those things are moving around and it only takes one bite to us in for good. She explained that this snake wasn't hurting anyone on the day she saw it, but if she hadn't disposed of it at that time, it might have been hidden the next time and sank those fangs into someone's flesh before they knew what was happening. We agree - and would have done exactly what she did!

Before we go too blindly forward with our hero worship of Oliver North, let's remember that there are some things in this whole mess that should make us worry. Flag-waving is great and we want it to continue, but checks and balances are there for a purpose. People like North are trained along a narrow lane of military thinking and that is not necessarily the democratic way of doing business. The military thinking is good, but it has long been the American custom for the ultimate control to be out of the hands of the military. We like North and like the way he has come across in the hearings. We also expect there will be things happening five, ten and twenty years from now that shouldn't be told to the public or even to Congress. But please don't give the Oliver North types free rein.

The escort of Kuwaiti tankers is underway in spite of threats from that nut in Iran. We understand the thinking behind the move and just hope this doesn't escalate into a war with more American lives lost. The real debate here is between two neighboring countries - Iran and Iraq - and Kuwait is the third party accused of helping Iraq, so Iran started shooting at the oil tankers from Kuwait. There is some comfort in the fact that both Russia and Britain are also escorting tankers through this same Persian Gulf.



Shorty Martin was alert and recognized a good thing when he saw it. He is selling these Ollie North T-shirts and taking advantage of the nationwide publicity the man has received lately. Shorty held up a shirt for this picture rather than wearing one because he had already sold out of his size!

## To Our Town

Sorry if we woke you  
In the middle of the night.  
But someone in your neighborhood  
Is fighting for his life.

You ask us how we had a bad one  
And we're feeling mighty down.  
You ask us why we do it  
"How can you watch a child die?"  
It's never very easy  
But we'll try and tell you why.

We don't do it for the money  
You know we don't get paid  
We don't do it for the glory  
But for a life that might be saved.

Somewhere deep within us  
Our souls are crying out  
We're here to help our neighbors  
In their hour of pain and doubt.

God gave us something special  
To help us see you through  
We do it cause we love you  
And we care about you, too...

## The Elba Clipper

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## OBITUARIES

### ROY A. DASINGER

Mr. Roy A. Dasinger, age 80, of New Brockton, died Friday, July 17, 1987, in the Enterprise Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held July 18 at 4 p.m. from the New Brockton First Baptist Church with Rev. Rex Henderson officiating. Burial was in New Brockton City Cemetery with Seary Funeral Home directing.

Mr. Dasinger was a native of New Brockton and a former resident of Panama City, Fla., for 35 years. He had resided in New Brockton for the past 10 years.

Survivors include his wife: Mrs. Genell Dasinger, New Brockton; three sons: Roger A. Dasinger and Rodney L. Dasinger, both of Panama City, Fla.; and Dr. Norman R. Dasinger, Jacksonville, Ala.; one brother: James Lewis Crumpler, Columbia, S.C.; 7 grandchildren; two nephews: Harold E. Dasinger and William R. Dasinger, both of Charleston, S.C.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, New Brockton, Ala. 36551.

### LUMMIE B. PLANT

Mr. Lummie B. Plant, age 71, died July 17, 1987, in the Elba hospital.

Funeral services were held July 18, from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with the Revs. Howard Foreman and Robert Kirkland officiating. Burial followed in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include his wife: Agnes Plant, Elba; two daughters: Helen Kellner and Genene Plant, Elba; one son: John D. Plant, Greenwood, S.C.; three sisters: Earlene Poole and Jewel Padgett, both of Elba; and Mrs. Lou Felder, Panama City, Fla.; seven grandchildren.



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JAYCEES - 1st & 3rd Thur. 7 p.m. Beaver Dam Restaurant

CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Mon. 7 p.m.

LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. Beaver Dam Rest.

ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thur. 8 p.m. Bupt. Office

AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.

BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. - Over old City Hall

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WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues. 8 p.m. City Hall

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AA - Wed. 8 p.m. & Sun. 8 p.m. Sr. Citizens Bldg.

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## ELBA POLICE REPORT

**TUESDAY, JULY 14**  
Activity included a house fire on the Old Samson Road (2:14 p.m.), a wreck on the Kinston Highway (3:43 p.m.) and a prowler on Airport Road (10:21 p.m.).

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 15**  
Activity included a report of a possible rabid cat on Smith Ave. (4:08 p.m.), a wreck at Kleiner's (4:26 p.m.) and a house fire at Danley's Crossroads (8:18 p.m.).

**THURSDAY, JULY 16**  
Activity included a disturbance at

**FRIDAY, JULY 17**  
Activity included a wreck at the Lee Community with 3 injuries (4:25 a.m.), a wreck at the Gulf station (10:58 a.m.) and a disturbance at the emergency room at the hospital (6:28 p.m.).

**SATURDAY, JULY 18**  
Activity included a vehicle on fire on private property (12:16 a.m.), a fight at Beaver Dam Apts. (4:18 p.m.) and a prowler on N. Clanton (9:00 p.m.).

**SUNDAY, JULY 19**  
Activity included a woods fire off 189 (8:40 p.m.), a disturbance at Harper Apts. (9:13 p.m.), and a prowler on the old Samson Rd. (9:36 p.m.).

**MONDAY, JULY 20**  
Activity included a wreck on Caroline St. (6:43 a.m.).

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**FRIDAY, JULY 31**  
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**SUNDAY, AUGUST 2**  
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**SUNDAY, AUGUST 9**  
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**MONDAY, AUGUST 10**  
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**TUESDAY, AUGUST 11**  
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**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12**  
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**THURSDAY, AUGUST 13**  
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**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**  
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**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2**  
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**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4**  
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**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5**  
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## JESSIE JAMES COTTER

Mr. Jessie James Cotter, age 61, of Rt. 2, New Brockton, died July 8, 1987, in Okinawa, Japan.

Funeral services were held July 20 at 2 p.m. from the El Bethel Assembly of God Church. Burial

was in the church cemetery with Seary Funeral Home directing.

Survivors include his wife: Mrs. Mavis Beckwith; eight daughters: Emma Lessie Hudson, Catherine Lowine Hudson, both of Elba; Bonnie Ann's deceased; Annie Lois Robertson, Gracie Mae Alberson, all of Kinston; Betty Joyce Parrish,

Opp; Mary Frances Carpenter, Geneva; four sons: L.D. Beckwith, New Brockton; John L. Beckwith, James Ellis Beckwith, Kinston; Mable Cotter, New Brockton; three daughters: Jessica Kerik, Cleveland, Ohio; Kathryn Wong, Honolulu, Hawaii; Ruth Moyes, Okinawa, Japan; two sons: John Cotter and James Cotter, New Brockton; two brothers: John Henry Cotter and Albert Lamar Cotter, New Brockton; three grandchildren.

Miss Elizabeth, or Miss "Lizzie," as she is lovingly called by her family and friends, in physical appearance is a neat, attractive, gray-haired lady with deep-set gray eyes and lovely smooth, fair skin.

She was born April 1, 1904, in the Bradshaw Church Community, on the Samson Highway, just below Damascus. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hattaway, were the patriarch and matriarch of a large family of children - an even dozen to be exact.

Mr. Hattaway was a farmer, Mrs. Hattaway was the former Mattie Donaldson.

The 11 brothers and sisters of Miss Lizzie are as follows:

Albert, deceased, who was married to the former Miss Eunice Avant, also deceased. At the time of their deaths, they lived in Hacoa.

Mollie, deceased, who was married to the late Monroe Reeves. They resided in the Ino Community until their deaths.

Belle, deceased, who was married to John Henry Wambles, also deceased. At their deaths, they were living in the Victoria Community.

Alto, deceased, who married the former Miss Morris Farris, also now deceased. They lived in the Albion Community until their deaths.

Leah, who makes his home in Opp. He was married to the former Miss Merilyn Johnson, who is now deceased.

Oates, deceased, who married the former Miss Mattie Lou Johnson, a sister to Miss Merilyn. Miss Mattie Lou makes her home in Opp.

Ruth, who lives in Enterprise and was married to Orb Hersey, who is now deceased.

Bert, who is married to the former Miss Estelle Moore, and they are residents of Elba.

Carly, who with his wife, the former Connie Pearl Norris, lives on Rt. 3, in the Mt. Gilead Church Community.

Freida, deceased, who was married to Cleatus Norris, who now makes his home in Samson.

Again, interestingly, two of Miss Lizzie's siblings married siblings - Miss Connie Pearl and Mr. Cleatus being sister and brother.

Marion, who resides in the

vicinity of Elba.

Mr. D.L. told us he was a farmer. Before he retired from farming and sold his land, he farmed approximately 1,000 acres for 17 years, some of which he owned and some he rented. During that time, he grew wheat, corn, soybeans and alfalfa. He had "four hands who stayed with me 12 years."

About his many years as a farmer, he said, with great enthusiasm, "I enjoyed it!"

Miss Lizzie received her early schooling at the old Mt. Gilead School.

On August 26, 1933, Miss Lizzie married Mr. D.L. Carrett, one of five children of Mr. and Mrs. Cebe Carrett. Mr. Carrett was a farmer, and Mrs. Carrett was the former Miss Dottie Brown.

Mr. D.L. was born near the Bluff Springs Community and reared at Fairview, as his family moved there when he was a youngster, and he attended the old Fairview School.

He is an interesting gentleman with a friendly and likeable personality who has had a long and good life with his wife. He said, "Lizzie and I had a good life together - we've had lots of good times and wonderful memories through the years; we've enjoyed it."

In talking about his wife, once he choked up, and became emotional and said we would have to excuse him, and we assured him that if he wanted to cry, just go ahead and cry. He said, "Lizzie and I had a good life together - we've had lots of good times and wonderful memories through the years; we've enjoyed it."

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Miss Johnson

## Johnson — Scarborough Engagement Told

Dr. and Mrs. G. Sherman Johnson of Paxton, Fla., announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Sharon Jean, to Bretton Haywood Scarborough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Haywood Scarborough of Elba.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Newell, Samson; and Mr. and Mrs. Tank Johnson, Kinston.

She is the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Liza Johnson, Kinston, and Mrs. Flora Prigden, Samson.

The prospective bridegroom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Lancaster, Lockhart; Mrs. James Ellis Scarborough, Elba (formerly of Lockhart), and the late James Ellis Scarborough, Lockhart.

Miss Johnson is a 1983 graduate of Paxton High School and is presently attending the University of

Alabama at Birmingham where she will graduate with honors in August. She will receive her bachelor's degree in Sociology and Mathematics.

She is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta and Alpha Kappa Delta honor societies.

Mr. Scarborough is a 1982 graduate of Elba High School. After attending Troy State University for two years, he graduated from Jefferson State College, Birmingham in 1986, with a degree in Mortuary Science. He is a nationally licensed Funeral Director and is presently employed with Johns-Ridout's Elmwood Chapel in Birmingham.

The wedding will be an event of September 12, at four o'clock in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church of Elba.

No local invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

## Socials

### Mr. & Mrs. Grimes To Be Honored On 25th Anniversary With Reception

James and Henrietta Grimes will be honored at a reception on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 26, from two until four o'clock in the

afternoon at their home at 1032 Forest Street in Elba. All friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

### Rolanda Jones Receives Scholarship

Rolanda Pauletta Jones, Elba High School graduate, has been awarded a George C. Wallace Leadership scholarship to Troy State University.

Miss Jones is the daughter of Mary Jean Jones and was student

government president at EHS. Each year the George C. Wallace scholarship is awarded to outstanding high school and junior college students who have excelled in academic and/or leadership accomplishments.



Miss Dyess - Mr. Gray

## Dyess — Gray To Wed In August

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dyess of Rt. 1, Jack (New Hope) announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Kimlyn Dyess to Ricky Lee Gray, son of Mr.

Vallery L. Gray of Lexington, N.C. and the late Sarah W. Gray. Miss Dyess is a 1982 graduate of Zion Chapel High School and a 1986 graduate of Troy State University where she received a bachelor's degree in education. She is presently director of United Child Development Center in Lexington, N.C.

Mr. Gray is a 1976 graduate of Lexington Senior High School. He is presently employed as assistant manager at Kimbrell's Inc., also of Lexington.

The wedding will be an event of August 8, at seven o'clock in the evening at New Hope Baptist Church, Rt. 2, Brundidge. A reception will follow immediately in the church fellowship hall.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Miss Russell - Mr. Eagerton

## Miss Russell To Wed Mr. Eagerton In August

Mr. and Mrs. Alton W. Russell of Montgomery announce the engagement of their daughter, Sallie Ann, to Gregory Stewart Eagerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Eagerton of New Hope.

Miss Russell is a 1983 graduate of Robert E. Lee High School in Montgomery and attends the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Social Society.

The future groom graduated from Zion Chapel High School in 1979 and University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing in 1985, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing.

He is employed by Birmingham Veterans Administration Medical Center as a registered nurse in the Coronary Intensive Care Unit.

Grandparents of the bride are the late Mr. and Mrs. Plesce P. Wood of Wadley, Ala., and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Fryer of Brundidge, and the late Mr. Joe Hutto.

The wedding will be an event of August 22 at the Dairland Baptist Church in Montgomery. All relatives and friends are invited.

## New Arrival

Murry Caldwell Vaughan Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Caldwell Vaughan of Birmingham announce the birth of a son, Murry Caldwell Jr., on Monday, June 22, at St. Vincent's Hospital in Birmingham.

He weighed 8 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Elba, and Mrs. Myrtle Vaughn Elba, and Mrs. James Clyde Caldwell of Samson.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Pettrey Jr. of Montgomery and Mrs. James R. Worthington of Palm Harbor, Fla.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James R. Worthington of Palm Harbor, Fla. Caldwell has a 2-year-old sister, Emily Logan Vaughan.

## Emory Moore Reunion To Be In August

The Emory Moore Sr. family reunion will hold their annual family reunion on August 2 at the Moore Sr. home.

All friends and relatives are invited. Dinner will be served from 1 until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.



Pictured are members of the Elba Study Club that met Wednesday, July 15, to pay tribute to Jeannette Garrett (center front), who is moving to Auburn. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Mildred Murphree. Jeannette was presented a plaque of appreciation from the club; she was instrumental in recruiting many of the members. Delicious refreshments were served by the

hostesses. Those attending included Eleanor Senn, Lorene Bryan, Marie Jones, Myrtle Sellers, Mildred Murphree, Josephine Kendrick, Emma Margaret Inman, Ora Kelly, Doris Taylor, Jeannette Garrett, Charlotte Hobson, Jo Hudson, Helen Bruckner, Vivian O'Kley, Rene Miller, Mary Tatum and guest Nona Opper.

### Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the love and care shown us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Cynthia G. Meacham.

All the kindnesses meant to much to us. THE FAMILY OF CYNTHIA G. MEACHAM 7-23-11c

### Tom Hudson

### Family Reunion To Be Held

The annual family reunion of the Tom Hudson family will be held August 2, 1987, at the Rosehill Community Center. Lunch will be served at 12:00.

## NEWS FROM OUR EARLY FILES

### TEN YEARS AGO

JULY 21, 1977  
\*\*\*Pictured in a tux is Frank Haley, who was chased by an army to get him ready for his son's wedding. A later check found him back pumping gas and aligning automobiles.

\*\*\*Shawn Keenett holds a 17-lb. carp he caught with help from Shane Phelps) Monday morning at the county pond.

\*\*\*Mr. and Mrs. John White celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 17, at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Moses L. Grimes of Rt. 2, Elba, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary July 17 with a reception.

\*\*\*Master Daniel Bowden, son of Carl Bowden, celebrated his second birthday July 9 with a party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Tice. Those helping Daniel celebrate were Amy Davis, Chris Jordan, Rhett McCollough, Lulu Powell, Michele Davis, Ryder McCollough, Colleen Dady, Cora Sondergaard, JoAnn Smart, Mrs. Sandra Jordan.

\*\*\*Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilson on the Curtis Community included Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brewer (Judy) and children, Sarasota, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. John Chang (Sue) Moble, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gilmer (Nell) and James of Minneapolis, Minn.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO

JULY 27, 1967  
\*\*\*Lester M. Wicker of Elba is shown holding a stick with what appears to be a bird frozen stiff on it in the middle of the summer. Actually it is an odd-shaped "hubbub" of corn that was found in the field of Arist D. Smith Monday afternoon.

\*\*\*Mrs. Mattie Lee Tomas, age 74, died Monday afternoon after a brief illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday from the Victoria Baptist Church. Survivors include nine sons: Roland, Ralph, Grady, Myron, Sam, Woodrow, W.F., A.P., and Shirley; and two daughters: Merle Bragg and Dorothy Kendrick; as well as other relatives.

\*\*\*Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Boswell of Elba announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mary Alice, to Paul L. Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Wallace of Opp. The wedding will be an event of August 11.

\*\*\*Visiting Mr. Carl Moore last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Cooke of Andalusia; Connie Cooke, Opp; Mrs. Joe Gaines, Brantley; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bouwell and Keith of Basin Community.

\*\*\*A group of students from this area are shown as they wait to board a Boeing 707 jet on a European trip, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brunson and Mrs. Teri Averett.

All young people in the area are invited. The movie "Welcome Home" will be shown, and there will be a time of fellowship to follow.

### THIRTY YEARS AGO

JULY 25, 1957  
\*\*\*C.B. McDowell: Bill DeVaughn who resides between Elba and New Bricketon on Highway 84 brought me some of the nicest tomatoes I have ever seen. Two of the beauties tipped the scales at over 3 lbs.

\*\*\*Pictured are Elba children: Sammy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Waters; Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bullard; Kala, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis M. Elba; Brooks; Lamar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Rainer; Terry and Ann, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Martin.

\*\*\*Mrs. Gene Vaughan had as her guests on Sunday, Mr. C.A. Hudgens, Billy and Doris of Ramer, and Art Lorick of Montgomery, Mr.

and Mrs. J.M. Farris have returned to their home in New Castle, Pa., after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Gene Vaughan.

\*\*\*Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Robert Cannon: Pretty Betty Tindol, bride of Jimmy Young of Curtis, was honored recently to a tea-shower given at the home of Mrs. Lister Brunson. Other hostesses were Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Charles McCurley, Mrs. J.W. English, Mrs. Phil English.

\*\*\*Born to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Marler Friday, July 12, was a boy named Mickey Douglas. Mrs. Marler is the former Peggy Addinson.

\*\*\*Forty years ago JULY 24, 1947  
The people of Elba were saddened early Sunday night by news of the death of Dan Brooks in a Montgomery hospital. He was 62, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Brooks, and owned and operated the Elba Dry Co. for 38 years.

\*\*\*Myra Hawkins, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, celebrated her birthday with a party Thursday afternoon. Children present were Johnny, Tula Ann and Mary Sybil Hollis of Brantley; Tula and Louise G. Dismukes, Sue Morrow, Syble and Corky Hussey, Evelyn and Genell Matthews, Vivian Matthews; Jessie, Joe and Mary Ann Smith, Gail Lunsford, Jeanette Bullard, Lamar Sauls, Fairra Ann Halford of Enterprise; Vivian and Jackie Davis, Maylene and Jackie Brunson, Shorty Sanders, Nina Earl Culver, Betty Sue Stanton, Myrtle Whaley, Florence Vail, Mary and Franklin Stanton.

\*\*\*Harold Moody has returned from Mobile where he spent several days visiting relatives. Mrs. Frances Thomas and daughter of Dothan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilks Sunday.

\*\*\*Mary and Joyce Bell, nieces of Dozier, and Mrs. G. Whitman of Dozier, were entertained at a party last Wednesday, given by Carlton Rhinman. Other guests present included Jean Taylor, Ann Fox, Ella Wilkerson, Doris Carpenter, Eugene Deane, Sam Young, Buddy Windham, Tommy Whitman and Jack Parker.

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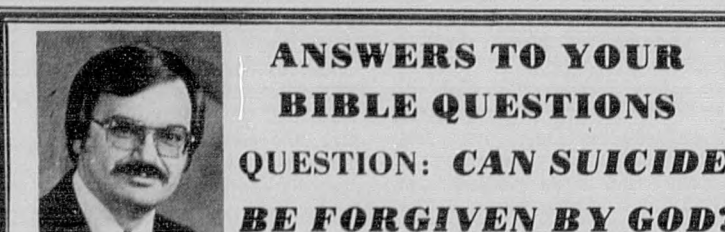
## Youth Rally Scheduled At Basin Baptist Church

There will be a Youth Rally at the Basin Baptist Church near Elba Saturday, July 25, beginning at 7 p.m.

All young people in the area are invited. The movie "Welcome Home" will be shown, and there will be a time of fellowship to follow.

## Mt. Zion Baptist To Have Revival

Mt. Zion Baptist Church (Mixon's Crossroads) will have revival beginning Sunday, July 26, and running through July 31. Rev. Danny Byrum will be guest evangelist, and there will be special singing each evening. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.



BOB PRICHARD

## ANSWERS TO YOUR BIBLE QUESTIONS QUESTION: CAN SUICIDE BE FORGIVEN BY GOD?

There is no doubt that suicide, or self-murder, is contrary to God's will. It is the destruction of the body, the temple of the Holy Spirit, which belongs to God (1 Cor. 6:19-20). Life is a precious gift from God, and man, made in the image of God, cannot lightly take his own life. The question is often left for the survivors, though, as to whether or not the suicide can be forgiven. Some wonder if suicide might be the "unpardonable sin" of Matt. 23:1. But "the unpardonable sin" of the Holy Ghost, the "unpardonable sin" which Jesus spoke of, was a sin of hardness of heart, not suicide.

In considering whether or not a suicide can be forgiven by God, several things must be considered. First of all, we must realize that God will be the Judge of all men. No one knows how far the mercy of a loving heavenly Father will extend, and mortal man cannot know the eternal destiny of others. It is up to each of us to do all that we can to please God and obey Him. We must tell others the will of God, but beyond that, they are in the hands of God.

Secondly, it is wrong to conclude that a suicide would never have the opportunity to repent of the wrong of self-murder. Repentance is essential for the child of God. It is possible that even having committed suicide, the person might realize the wrong that he has done, and sincerely repent of his wrongful act before actual death. The parable of the "Prodigal Son" in Luke 15 demonstrates very clearly that God is a loving heavenly Father who is anxious to forgive His children of their sins. (This assumes, of course, that a person has done what is necessary to obey Christ and become a Christian.) "For ye are all children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ" (Gal. 3:26-27). Having "put on Christ" in baptism, one is in contact with the cleansing blood of Christ, and finds continual forgiveness of sin by "walking in the light" (1 John 1:7-10).

Another factor to consider is the very real possibility that the person who has committed suicide was not responsible for his actions. We prize life, and thus the taking of one's own life, by definition, is an irrational act. Most who take their own lives think they are acting rationally, when they are really irrational. Mental illness or other problems may cause a person to kill himself, when he would never consider such an act if in full control of his faculties. God would be unfair to hold men responsible for actions under these circumstances. Survivors can take comfort that suicide is not necessarily unforgivable, but it is so unnecessary, because even in the midst of horrendous problems, God still loves us. Choose life and serve God.

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Miss Pitts and Nicky

## Miss Lee Pitts And Nicky To Be At First Baptist

Miss Lee Pitts, speaker, singer and ventriloquist, will be guest speaker for Youth Week 1987 at First Baptist Church, Elba this Sunday, July 26.

Appearing with Miss Pitts will be "Nicky, the Talking Tree," and they will be speaking and sharing four times Sunday in Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., morning worship at 11, to be broadcast over WELB, at a Parent-Youth Forum at 4:30 p.m.,

and then in evening worship at 6:00. Lee and Nicky have shared in over 650 churches across the country in the past five years. She is currently a student at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas, where she is working on her Master's degree.

Keith Touchton, music minister at First Baptist, invites all members of the community to come and be a part of this special day.

## Pastor's Corner REV. HARRY MCGUFFEE WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH

### Bringing His Sons

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## Church Directory

IN HIM WAS LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN

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MOMENTS FOR THE MASTER WELB - 6:20 a.m. - 12:27 p.m. 3:57 p.m. - Bob Pritchard

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Bible Study - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD (Kinston) - Robert Bowen Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Evangelistic Serv. - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

NEW PHILADELPHIA Church of Love and Flowers Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. 2nd & 4th Sunday WFFWV - 6:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABER. Darrell & Gert Riley Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

VICTORIA BAPTIST - Larry Dotter Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

WISDOM MILLENNIUM OF GOD - Kenneth Hagler Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Youth Service - 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. - 7:00 p.m. Fri. Home Prayer - 7:00 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - J.L. Edgar Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Sun. Evn. - 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service - 8:30 p.m.

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Jimmy Eddins Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. C. A. (Sun.) - 5:00 p.m. Evn. Worship - 8:00 p.m.

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST - Donnie Marler Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. - 7:00 p.m.

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ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - George Sedberry Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Pract. - 4:00 p.m. Evn. Service - 5:00 p.m. N.Y.F. - 7:00 p.m.

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ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH - Richard & Pat Jones Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Pract. - 4:00 p.m. Training Union - 5:00 p.m. Evn. Service - 6:00 p.m. Thursday Serv. - 8:00 p.m. Adult Choir Wed. - 8:00 p.m.

MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST R. B. Williams Bible Study - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Willie L. Peterson Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sundays

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Douglas Fries Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Bible Study - 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship - 8:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Serv. - 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Lanny Shepard Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Training Union - 5:00 p.m. Evn. Service - 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST - Robert Kirkland Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Youth Choir Pract. - 4:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m. Nursery open for church activities

MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Donnie Earle Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m. Evn. Service - 7:00 p.m.

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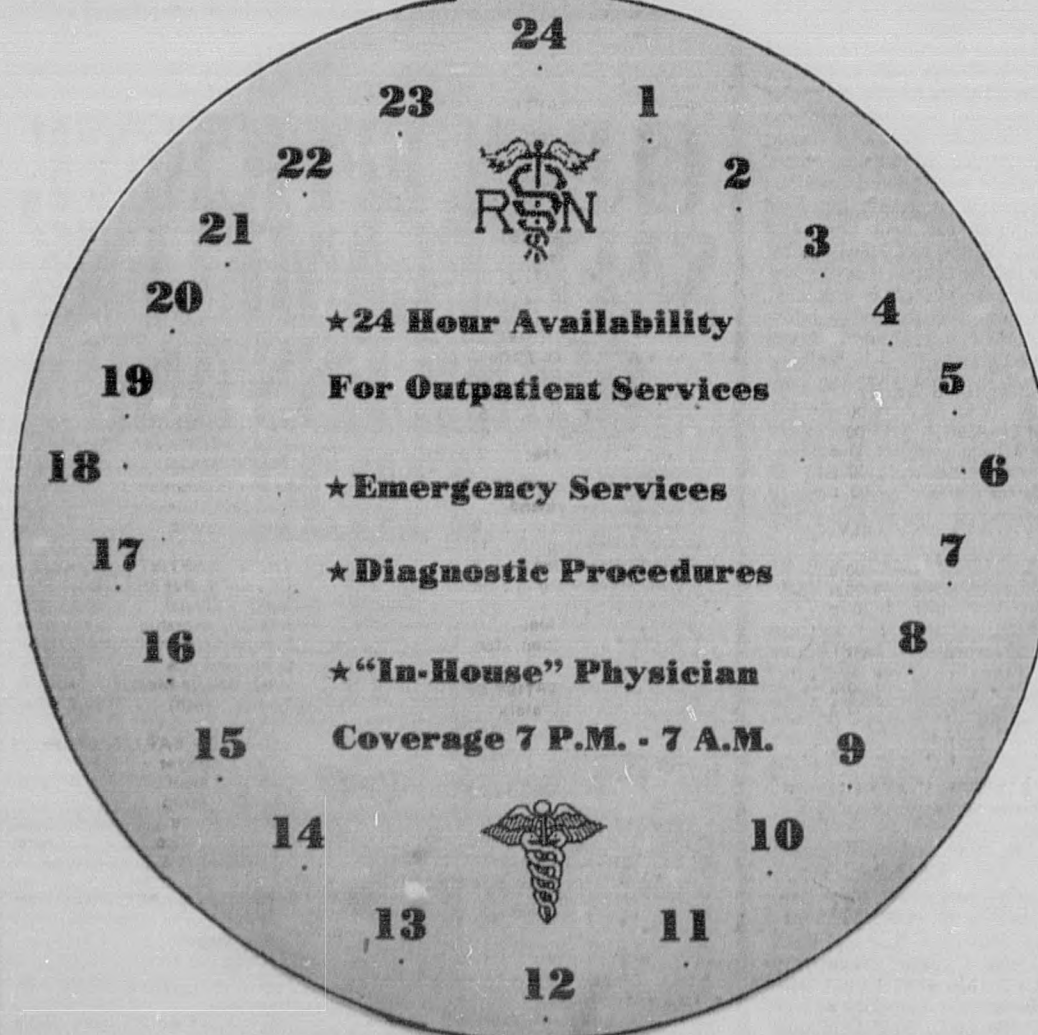
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By, Ricky Mularz

I had to umpire last weekend, so my family decided to go to the beach instead of hanging around the house. While I was spending the day at the ball park from 8 a.m. until 11 p.m. my folks were swimming and lying around the beach playing and making sandcastles. Oh well, at least somebody had fun last weekend!

## ALL STAR TEAMS HAVE BEST SEASON EVER

For the past two weeks Elba's three baseball All-Stars teams have been in tournaments and the teams all did well to two of them placed second and the third won a trip to the state tournament - Elba's first trip ever!

The 14-15-year-old Babe Ruth All-Stars were expected to have a very good team and many of us quietly spoke of the team winning the district tournament, which was held in Elba. The team had a lot of experienced players, solid hitting, a quality pitching staff and excellent coaching; however, since we'd never won a trip to state in baseball we were all a little unsure of just what the team would do in the actual tournament. Well, the team did even better than expected and won three straight games to advance to this week's state tournament. The wins were the results of many hours of hard work by everyone involved and really showed the kind of kids playing in Elba. The players never gave up, although they had many chances, and made everyone in the stands proud of them each and every night. Great job, guys!!!

There were many stars in the Babe Ruth tournament, such as Opp's Bobby Clark and Jake Donaldson; Andalusia's Grady Smith and Wesley Riley and Brundidge's William Foster. However, for me the real stars of the tournament were the Elba players who battled and battled until the very end to bring home the district crown. I can't name every player here and I'm sure some people would've picked others, but I thought I'd mention a couple of Elba All-Stars who were definitely stars in the tournament. At the plate, Kevin Matthews literally tore the cover off the ball as he went 9 for 12 in three games, hit 3 doubles and scored 5 runs and collected 5 runs-batted-in. On the mound, Tim Sullivan was the fireman twice as he came in to extinguish rallies and led the team to a win, and David Rowe bounced back from his worst performance of the season to have his best game against Opp when he pitched no-hit ball for five innings and completely baffled opposing batters. There were many other outstanding performances, such as Wade Hart refusing to let opponents cross home-plate, and Kenneth King coming in each night to pitch well, but I only chose a few of the top to mention. The whole team won the games and no one player could have done it by himself; the 1987 District 2 champs are from Elba and the team has 15 players who all did their job!

The Dixie Youth All-Stars weren't expected to be a force at the tournament, but blasted teams from Brundidge and Greenville and placed second to Troy in the tournament. Elba's players all gave it a super effort, and even though the trophy read "second place," the team was a winner in every sense of the word as every single player played in every game and a new hero surfaced almost every night. Eric Simmons was the star of the show hitting, as he ripped 8 hits in 12 at-bats and blasted 3 home-runs, while knocking in 12 runs in only 4 games. The All-Stars had the hitting power, as was evident by the fact the team scored a total of 44 runs in four games. Other top hitters in the tournament included Chris Hodge (7-12), Jamie Brockton (5-12), Jason Free (4-8), Greg Thigpen (4-8) and Vincent Thigpen (3-6). While the hitters were in the spotlight, the Elba pitchers also grabbed their share of fans. Joey Donaldson, Cory Driggers and Billy Mitchell all turned in good performances and it was Mitchell who saved the game against Greenville when he came in with the bases loaded with one out and got Elba out of the jam without allowing a run!

The Dixie Youth Squad played the same nights as the Babe Ruth stars, which made it impossible for everyone to watch both teams play, but I can assure you both teams repaid Elba well and earned the respect of both the Elba fans and the fans for the opposition. Congratulations to all the All-Stars - you were all-stars in every sense!

## ELBA SOFTBALL CLASSIC PROVIDED MANY LONG HITS

The 11th annual Elba Softball Classic was held last weekend, and while the number of teams was down from years past, the quality of the teams may have been the best in many years. Hickory Hammock, the two-time national championship, won the tournament by defeating SouthTrust Bank in two straight games, while SouthTrust showed more power than ever as it posted wins over Alabama church camp Frazier Memorial, Florida power Custom and a 32-11 win over Hickory Hammock early in the tournament. During one two-game span a total of 126 runs were scored and in the SouthTrust win over Hickory Hammock the Florida team hit 21 home-runs, only to lose!

If you didn't make it, you missed big time softball as it hasn't been seen around here in many years.

## NO, SOFTBALL ISN'T OVER YET . . .

You just thought softball was over in Elba! The church league will begin in two weeks with a total of four teams competing, and for the first time in three years the league will allow all players who attend the churches in the league to participate. In previous years the league banned players who played on other teams; however, since the men's season is now over the decision was made to open the team rosters, which I think is very fair.

The veterans will also break out their gloves in a couple of weeks as the over-40 league will kick off its season. The players who have reached the age of 40 really enjoy playing ball, and play surprisingly well, so why not come out and watch 'em in action.

## IN CLOSING . . .

The Elba Merchants qualified for the State Class D Softball Tournament last weekend in Dothan and it is quite a feat for a team made of young players to make it to state in their very first year. Nip Ammons organized the team to get younger players interested in softball and not only did the idea work, it also created a good softball team. Good luck at state!

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## Elba All-Stars Win District 2 Championship

The Elba Babe Ruth All-Stars swept through last week's District 2 championship and earned a spot in this week's State Babe Ruth Baseball Tournament, to be held in Bay Minette.

The Elba squad opened the tournament with an 8-6 win over Brundidge and then defeated Opp 7-5 and 11-9 to take the title.

Opp played second in the double-elimination event, while Andalusia placed third and Brundidge finished fourth.

Following is a recap of last week's action (with the exception of opening round games reported last week):

## Andalusia 7

## Brundidge 0

Andalusia's Wesley Riley tossed a 3-hitter and struck out 8 batters to lead his team to 7-0 win over Brundidge, in Tuesday's elimination contest.

Andalusia took advantage of four walks and a double by Garrett Pass to take a quick 3-0 lead in the game, and then took advantage of errors in the second inning to stretch its lead to 4-0.

A Grady Smith home-run upped Andalusia's lead to 5-0 in the fourth inning and Andalusia combined 3 hits with 2 errors in the fifth inning to post two runs and push the easy 7-0 win.

Grady Smith got 2 hits to pace Andalusia at the plate.

## Elba 7

## Opp 5

The Elba All-Stars jumped out to a 7-0 lead behind the hitting of Kevin Matthews and the pitching of David Rowe and held on to defeat Opp 7-5 to knock the defending champs into the loser's bracket.

Elba wasted little time taking the lead for good as Kevin Matthews ripped a one-out single, stole second and came across on a double by Kevin Matthews and then singled into the corner in left field. The score went to 2-0 in the third when Tim Sullivan got a two-out single and came across on a double by Kevin Matthews and then batted 10-7 in the fifth inning as the local All-Stars combined 3 hits with 4 walks!

Damon Jones and Adam Crews drew walks to open the inning and when Mark Matthews was hit by a pitch Elba was in business with the bases loaded with no outs.

Shane Blanton, running for Jones, scored on a fielder's choice off the bat of Tim Sullivan and Kevin Matthews came through with his third hit of the game to drive in Crews and up the Elba lead to 4-0. A two-out single by David Rowe knocked in Sullivan and Kenneth King clicked the big inning with a single that drove in both Matthews and Rowe as Elba's lead reached 7-0 over the surprised Opp squad!

Opp, which had failed to get a hit off Elba pitcher David Rowe in the first four innings, took advantage of an error to get a man on base in the fifth and then finally got on the scoreboard as an Elba fielder mis-played a fly ball and Opp's Scott Parker turned the fly into a triple to knock in Jake Donaldson with the squad's first run of the game.

Opp combined two walks with an error and a double by Reggie Hightower to cut the Elba lead to 7-3 in the sixth inning and then scored the Elba fans in the final inning by pulling within 7-6.

Elba relief pitcher Kenneth King was in control in the seventh inning and could have gotten out of the inning unscathed; however, an error opened the door and before King could extinguish the flame with a pair of strikeouts Opp had cut the lead to 7-5.

Kevin Matthews got 3 hits to lead Elba at the plate, while Tim Sullivan added 2 hits.

Elba pitcher David Rowe pitched six innings, allowing only 2 hits and striking out 9 batters.

Opp jumped out to a 7-0 lead and turned back a late rally to outscore Andalusia 11-8 to remain alive in the tournament and eliminate Andalusia.

An RBI single by Jake Donaldson started Opp to a 1-0 first-inning lead and in the third inning Opp's lead went to 7-0 as Opp combined 3 hits

OVER 40 SOFTBALL  
The Elba Recreation Dept. will sponsor a men's Over 40 softball league beginning the first week in August, and anyone over the age of 40 wishing to play should contact Elba Recreation Director Dennis Smith - 897-6833 or 897-2333; Lamar Kelley - 897-2654 (night), or Ricky Mularz - 897-5977 (night).

To be eligible to play, one must be 40 prior to Dec. 31, 1987.



ELBA BABE RUTH ALL-STARS . . . [Kneeling, L-R:] Kenneth King, Bennie Wilkerson, Shane Blanton, Adam Crews, Damon Jones, Jamie Whitworth and David Rowe. [Standing, L-R:] Coach Richard Thomas,

Coach O.C. King, Jason Grider, Chris Thomas, Tim Sullivan, Kevin Matthews, Phil Bogan, Mark Magwood, Wade Hart, Mark Matthews and manager Jimmy DuBoise.

with 2 walks and 2 errors to push across six runs.

The big blow in the outburst was a triple by Bobby Clark!

Andalusia's bats came to life in the fourth inning and the All-Stars ripped 5 hits to score 4 runs and pull within 7-4. A home-run by Grady Smith was a bit hit in the inning, while both Wesley Riley and Scott Armstrong ripped doubles.

A three-run homer by Bobby Clark in the bottom of the inning drove a bases-loaded walk, Kevin Matthews and Chris Thomas came through with their second hits of the inning to cap off the rally and put Elba on top 7-4!

The rally came on a trio of hits, with the key hit being a three-run homer by Wesley Riley.

Both teams scored one run in the closing innings as Opp held on for the wild 11-8 victory. Jake Donaldson and Bobby Clark got 2 hits apiece for Opp, while Andalusia was led by Scott Armstrong with 2 hits and Wesley Riley with 3 hits, including a home-run.

## Elba 11

## Opp 9

The Elba All-Stars exploded for 7 runs in the third inning to break the lead and held on to outscore Opp 11-9 to take the District 2 championship without losing a game.

Opp came out ready to play and combined 4 hits with 2 walks and 2 Elba errors to tie the game in the first inning to take a quick 4-0 lead. Reggie Hightower started the big inning, while a two-out single by Greg Taylor knocked in 2 runs and capped off the big first-inning outburst!

Elba's bats began to come to life in the second inning as the All-Stars tied two runners on base, but the bats finally woke up in the third as Elba ripped 6 hits and took advantage of 3 Opp errors to plate 7 runs and take a 7-4 lead.

Elba's Wade Hart ripped a two-run homer far over the center-field fence in the sixth to give Elba an 11-8 lead and Elba pitcher Tim Sullivan made it hold up as the locals posted the exciting win and claimed the District title for the first time ever!

Kevin Matthews and Chris Thomas got 3 hits each to lead the Elba attack, while David Rowe, Wade Hart and Kenneth King all added 2.

Reggie Hightower got 3 hits for Opp, and Scott Parker, Todd Jacobs, Ty Ashberry, Greg Taylor and Jeffrey Harrelson all added 2.

Tim Sullivan reached on an error to open the inning and moved to third when Kevin Matthews singled. A single by Chris Matthews singled. A single by Chris Matthews singled.

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## Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars Place Second In Sub-District Baseball

The Elba Dixie Youth All-Stars competed in the Sub-District Baseball Tournament last week in Troy and posted two impressive wins, only to fall twice to the host team from Troy to place second in the four-team field.

Troy won the event to advance to District play, while following Elba in third was Greenville. Brundidge placed fourth in the event.

Following are highlights of Elba's third round win over Greenville and both losses to Troy:

Troy 11  
Elba 4

Troy used a big fourth inning to take the lead and rolled to a big 11-4 win over Elba in the second round of last week's sub-district tournament.

Troy took advantage of 4 walks and 3 Elba errors to plate 4 runs in the opening inning to grab a quick 4-0 lead, but Elba refused to let Troy erupt for 4 runs in the third inning to catch Troy at 4-4!

Cory Driggers drew a walk to open the inning, moved to second on a single by Chris Hodge and raced home when Vincent Thigpen ripped a double to the fence. A double by Jamie Brockton knocked in Thigpen

to cut the lead to 4-3, and Jason Free followed with another double as Elba pulled even at 4-4 in the top of the third!

The score remained tied until the fourth inning, when Troy combined two hits with 3 walks and 2 errors to plate 6 runs to take a commanding 10-4 lead. The hit in the outburst was a grand slam home-run by Bobby Rhoades!

Troy added a lone run in the fifth and held off a late Elba rally to post the big 11-4 win.

Chris Hodge, Vincent Thigpen, Ron Bryan, Jamie Brockton and Jason Free all got 1 hit for Elba, while Nathan Jiles led Troy with 2.

Elba 18  
Greenville 7

Elba pulled out to an 11-0 lead, survived a late rally and then exploded in the final inning to blast Greenville 18-7 to remain alive in the sub-district tournament.

Elba failed to score in the opening inning, but came to life in the second and plated 5 runs to grab a 5-0 lead. A walk to Billy Mitchell started the big inning, while consecutive doubles by Greg Thigpen, Kevin Bryan and Chris Hodge knocked in 3 runs and gave

Greenville and was followed by 7 walks and 2 hits, with a big hit being a 3-run homer by Brandon Hood.

The Greenville uprising was quieted by Elba pitcher Billy Mitchell, who came in with the bases-loaded and one out and

refused to allow another run, and the spark supplied by Mitchell seemed to ignite the Elba hitters, who went wild in the final inning to put the win on ice!

Kevin Bryan reached on a walk to start the late Elba explosion, while Vincent Thigpen followed with a double and Jamie Brockton ripped a triple, to be followed by another double by Ron Bryan.

A double by Eric Simmons and a triple by Greg Thigpen kept the Elba

inning going, and before it was over the All-Stars had pushed across 7 runs and stretched their lead to 18-7.

Mitchell easily held on in the final inning as Elba posted the wild 18-7 win and advanced to the tournament finals.

Eric Simmons and Greg Thigpen got 3 hits apiece for Elba, while Jamie Brockton, Ron Bryan, Kevin Bryan and Chris Hodge all added 2.

Archie Simmons got 2 hits for Greenville.

Troy's powerful bats were hot early in the game and by the time Elba got back to the plate in the fourth inning the host team owned a big 12-1 lead!

Elba was down but not out, and scored 4 runs in the fourth inning to cut the lead to 12-5.

A single by Greg Thigpen followed by back-to-back doubles by Eric Simmons and Chris Parrish resulted in one run, while the other 3 runs came on a 3-run homer by Jamie Brockton!

RBI hits by Eric Simmons and Chris Parrish in the fifth inning kept the All-Stars in the hunt and the local squad never gave up as Jamie Brockton and Chris Hodge scored in the final inning, but Troy simply had too much power and posted the win 18-9.

Eric Simmons got 3 hits to pace Elba, while Chris Parrish and Joey Donaldson both added 2.

Brian Meadows got 4 hits for Troy and Bobby Rhoades added 3 and Melvin Bryant added 2.



NEW BROCKTON VARSITY CHEERLEADERS . . . [Kneeling, L-R:] Donna Baxley, Kelly Bradley, Kim Williams, Amy Vaughan, Ashli Hamilton and Jackie

Gibson. [Standing, L-R:] Angie Hutto, Angie Garrison, Margie Thomas - sponsor; Tracy Boland and Kristy Kelley.

## New Brockton Cheerleaders Win Awards

The New Brockton varsity cheerleaders recently attended the National Cheerleaders Association's Summer Clinic, held at Gulf Coast College in Panama City, Fla.

The squad, along with others from Georgia, Florida, Louisiana and Alabama, received instruction in cheers, chants, pyramids and other techniques of cheerleading.

After each day of instruction the squads participated in workshop and evaluation in which the New Brockton squad won awards of four Superior and one Excellent during evaluation sessions. The squad also won the "Spirit Stick," considered

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

ESTATE OF  
ROMIE LEE WEEKS  
DECEASED

COFFEE COUNTY  
ELBA DIVISION

Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 7th day of July, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ LELON WEEKS  
Executor  
7-16-3tc

ESTATE OF  
GRADY G. WISE  
DECEASED

COFFEE COUNTY  
ELBA DIVISION

Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of July, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ FRANCES LUCY W. WISE  
Executor  
7-16-3tc

ESTATE OF  
JAMES LESTER BRANCH, SR.  
DECEASED

COFFEE COUNTY  
ELBA DIVISION

Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 23rd day of June, 1987, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ WANDA BRANCH  
7-23-3tc

ESTATE OF E.B. ROBERTS  
DECEASED

COFFEE COUNTY  
ELBA DIVISION

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/s/ BILLY B. ROBERTS  
7-16-3tc

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF WILLIAM ALCUS SMITH, non  
compos mentis

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF  
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA  
ELBA DIVISION  
CASE NO. CV 84-56

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Take notice that Fred Smith, Sr., as guardian of William ALCUS SMITH, non compos mentis, has filed his petition in this Court for a partial settlement, dated June 18, 1982, and said petition being presented to Honorable Riley Green, Circuit Judge, he did order that the 2nd day of August, 1987, at 9:30 o'clock A.M., at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba, Alabama, be the day set to hear and determine said petition.

You are therefore notified to be and appear before this Court on the day and at the hour set for hearing said petition and to object to said petition if you choose to do so.

WITNESS this 14 day of July, 1987.

/s/ RILEY GREEN  
Circuit Judge  
7-23-3tc

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE  
FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by that certain mortgage executed by Aubrey L. Thomas, Jr. and wife, Grace A. Thomas, to Jackson County, Alabama, dated June 18, 1982, and recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, Enterprise Division, in Mortgage Book 190, at Page 115, which mortgage was, together with the indebtedness secured thereby and the note evidencing the same, duly transferred to the First National Bank of Birmingham (now AmSouth Bank, N.A.), as Trustee under a certain Trust Agreement dated as of December 1, 1981, with the Alabama Housing Finance Authority, by instrument dated June 18, 1982, and recorded in said Probate Office in Miscellaneous Book 28, at Page 780; notice is hereby given that the powers of sale contained in said mortgage, the undersigned will on August 4, 1987, during the legal hours of sale, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, before the Coffee County Courthouse door in the City of Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, the real estate described in said mortgage, the same being situated in the County of Coffee, State of Alabama, and described as follows: (to-wit):

Lot 2, and 65' off the West side of Lot 3, and 20' off the East side of Lot 1, Rolling Acres Subdivision, an addition to the City of Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, as shown on plat of same as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 15, in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Enterprise, Coffee County, Alabama, together with all improvements situated thereon.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage.

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by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.

AmSouth Bank N.A.,  
(formerly the First National Bank of Birmingham),  
As Trustee Transferee  
57 Adams Avenue  
Montgomery, Alabama 36104  
7-9-3tc

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE  
OF DANIEL EARL MARSHALL,  
DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA  
ELBA DIVISION

NOTICE OF DAY TO HEAR  
APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF  
WILL

TO: TERRY MARSHALL AND ALL  
OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on the 22nd day of June, 1987, a certain paper in writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Daniel Earl Marshall was filed in the Probate Court of this County by Barbara Marshall, and thereafter her application for the probate thereof as such Will; and that the 11th day of August, 1987, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., has been appointed a date for hearing said application, at which time you may appear and contest the same if you see proper.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 10th day of July, 1987.

/s/ MARION B. BRUNSON  
Judge of Probate  
7-16-3tc

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
GUARDIANSHIP ESTATE OF  
KENNETH D. MADDOX,  
NON COMPOS MENTIS

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF  
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA  
ELBA DIVISION

Notice is hereby given that Mark Vaughan, as guardian of the estate of Kenneth D. Maddox, non compos mentis, has filed his account for a partial settlement of his guardianship of said estate. The 28th day of July, 1987, at 1:30 p.m., has been appointed the day for the Court to examine and hear the petition for partial settlement, at which time all parties in interest can appear and contest the same if they think proper.

DONE AND ORDERED this 1st day of July, 1987.

MARION B. BRUNSON  
JUDGE OF PROBATE  
7-9-3tc

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Coffee County Commission is studying the feasibility of resurfacing a portion of County Route 25 from Elba City Limits to Co. Rd. #79.

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PEAS FOR SALE: Zipper Camper. You pick - \$6.00 per hamper. I pick - \$9.00 per hamper. Be ready July 29. Call James Bess - 897



Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children; and walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet smelling savor. But fornication and all uncleanness or covetousness, let it not be once named among you, as becometh saints. Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking or jesting, which are not convenient, but rather giving of thanks.

For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolator, hath any inheritance in the Kingdom of Christ and of God. Let no man deceive you with vain words; for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience. Be not ye therefore partakers with them. Eph. 5:1-6.

\*\*\*Thinking of you, praying for you: Mr. A.J. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson (Mary), Mrs. Mary Thigpen, Mrs. Thelma Clark, Mrs. Wilma Henderson, Mr. Leo Anderson, Baby Wiley De-Nard Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bullard (Annie Pearl).

\*\*\*Elam Baptist Church will have Homecoming and Revival July 26 - 31, with Rev. Bruce Nix as home-

coming speaker, and Rev. John Curry Jr. evangelist.

The church is located at Spring Hill, and Dr. C.A. Hammond is pastor.

Monday night's devotional will be brought by Shady Grove A.M.E. Church, Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church; music by Shady Grove A.M.E. Choir.

Tuesday's devotional - Rocky Head Baptist, Clay Hill Baptist, with music by Rocky Head Choir.

Wednesday - devotional - Antioch Baptist, Shady Grove Baptist, music by Antioch Choir.

Thursday - devotional - New Zion Baptist, Old Mt. Zion Baptist, music by New Zion Choir.

Friday - devotional - Holy Springs Baptist, Bethel Baptist, and music by Holy Springs Choir.

\*\*\*You are the cause of everything that happens to you. Be careful what you cause.

Dr. Robert Armstrong

\*\*\*What works for you may not work for someone else. So what makes you think your way is so much better?

Selected.

\*\*\*If you worry about what might be, And wonder what might have been,

You will ignore what is. Selected

\*\*\*What you said is exactly what you intended to say. Selected

\*\*\*Homecoming and Revival will be held at Mt. Chapel Baptist Church Sunday, August 2 - Friday, August 7.

The church is located at Sasser's Crossroads, Andalusia, and Rev. R.L. Williams is pastor. Evangelist for the week is Rev. J.H. Cody of Dothan.

Sunday School will be held at 10 a.m., with devotional at 11:15 by Mt. Sinai, Spring Hill, Mt. Pilgrim and Bethlehem.

The pastor will bring the sermon. The 2:30 devotional will be presented by Zion Chapel A.M.E., Antioch, Mt. Canaan, Mt. Calvary, welcome by Sis. Ruthia M. Smith. Sermon by Rev. J.E. Jones, pastor, Mt. Calvary Baptist Church. Evening services begin at 7:30.

Monday's devotional will be presented by Mt. Chapel, St. Paul, Morning Star and St. Matthews, with singing by Mt. Chapel Choir (throughout the remainder of the week).

Tuesday's devotional will be brought by Bethlehem, Jordan

## Round & About With Eria

By Eria Belcher 897-2006

Grove, Mt. Zion, St. Peter.

Wednesday's devotional - Oak Grove, Antioch, Rocky Head and Zion Chapel.

Thursday - Piney Grove, Mt. Sinai, Macedonia, Spring Hill.

Friday - Zion Chapel A.M.E., Nazareth, Mt. Pilgrim, Mt. Canaan.

Program Committee: Sis. Dorothy Tillis, Sis. Alice Coon, Sis. Alice Freeman, Dea. Clarence Palmer, Pastor R.L. Williams.

\*\*\*You don't have to be positive - you just have to be yourself. Selected

\*\*\*When the one man loves the one woman and the one woman loves the one man, the very angels desert Heaven and come and sit in that house and sing for joy.

Brahman - Sutra

MRS. BEATRICE BROOKS

Beatrice Brooks lives in Enterprise with her husband, Ernest Brooks, a former teacher and presently a Planner II with the State of Alabama.

The Brooks' have four children: two enrolled in undergraduate programs, one in a graduate program at AUM and one has graduated from Alabama State College.

Mrs. Brooks teaches first grade in the Daleville Elementary School, where she has been for 16 years. She has spent 29 years in the teaching profession, including Mulberry Heights High School (Elba City School System), Warren Smith High (Coffee County System) and Daleville Elementary (Daleville City School System).

She graduated from Alabama State University with a B.S. degree.

She is a member of the Daleville Education Association, Alabama Education Association, National Education Association, Parent-Teachers Association.

Memberships in civic and community organizations include: Pea River Historical and Genealogical Society, Coffee County Branch ADC, Delta Sigma Zeta Sorority, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Alabama Arthritis Foundation, Coffee County Branch NAACP, Coffee-Geneva Employees FCU, American Civil Liberties Union, Ft. Rucker Federal Credit Union, Wiregrass Dream Team, Inc., State and National Caucus for the Black Aged and deputy registrar Coffee County.

Special honors received and/or offices held in professional organizations:

Nominee to Teacher Hall of Fame; former secretary D.E.A., former treasurer Daleville Band Association, vice president, B & B Development and Management Corp., Enterprise Charter Chapter, American Businesswomen's Association, recording secretary, Wiregrass Dream Team, Inc., counselor Delta Sigma Zeta's Soror of Year - 1979.

Her hobbies and special interests include: drawing, painting and ceramics, gardening, sewing, tutoring, collecting recipes and antique dishes, and visiting and working with senior citizens.

Mrs. Brooks says, "The past years that I have spent in the field of education have been my expression of love for children and the community in which I live and work. I feel strongly that children should be treated as gifts of God, and this, in my estimation, can only be accomplished through love and admiration or concern for children.

"I am delighted to say that my work with children does not stop at the end of a day, a week or month - it is a yearly act of love. I feel that it is this continuous act of love and kindness toward children that make the less fortunate child feel that

there is a special place and something rewarding for him to do as he ventures out to face the many challenges in today's society."

A slim, attractive woman, Beatrice Brooks' genuine ability as a teacher always shines through in the most adverse conditions.

I say, keep reminding your students and everyone else to have understanding and sensitivity for those who are less fortunate, because whatever helps someone else helps you - you and you.

Thanks, Mrs. Brooks, for the interview. Love, Eria

\*\*\*Mr. Larry Johnson and Mr. Lamar Phillips, South Bay, Fla., visited Mrs. Reta Felton, Frank Phillips Sr. and family, Tiltman Lindsey and family, other relatives and friends in Elba recently.

\*\*\*Two human loves make one divine.

Elizabeth B. Browning

\*\*\*Bethlehem Baptist Church will have Homecoming and Revival July 26 - 31, with Rev. L.C. McMillan, Troy, as visiting evangelist.

Theme: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." Acts 16:31.

Services begin each evening at 7:30.

Sunday's services will include Sunday School at 10 a.m., devotional at 11:30, and sermon at noon by the pastor, Rev. G.C. Thomas; and a sermon at 2:30 p.m., with devotional by visiting officers.

Monday's devotional will be brought by Nazareth, St. Stephens A.M.E.

Tuesday's - Oak Grove, Rocky Head officers.

Wednesday - Piney Grove, Mt. Chapel and Shady Grove A.M.E.

Thursday's devotional will be brought by Elba Zion, New Zion and Bethel A.M.E.

Friday - Mt. Zion, Zion Chapel and Mt. Calvary.

\*\*\*Have a good day!

God bless.

ERIA

Annual Bike Trek Set For Sept. 25-27

The Lung Association's Chattahoochee Trace Bike Trek, slated for Sept. 25, 26 and 27, will offer three days of cycling along the scenic Chattahoochee River and its tributaries.

Using Eufaula's Lakemont Resort as "home base," the Trek '87 weekend will kick off with an optional 27-mile tour through Eufaula's extensive South Lake Historic District. Highlights of Saturday's 65-mile route include lakeside riding, the Walter F. George Lock and Dam, and Ft. Gaines Frontier Village.

On Sunday, Sept. 27, the cyclists will head out in a different direction on a 60-mile tour that features the antebellum town of Lumpkin, Ga., Providence Canyon (the "Little Grand Canyon of the Southeast") and Florence Marina.

For the more advanced cyclists, Trek '87 will also offer the opportunity to complete a "century ride" on Saturday.

However, according to Trek coordinator Kitty Ruzic, "You don't need to be an experienced cyclist to participate in the Trek since the Lung Association provides a complete support team for the ride. We also furnish your accommodations, food and logistics for the weekend."

Ms. Ruzic also said that compared to many other bike tours, Lung Association bike treks are relatively inexpensive.

"The only costs to each participant are a \$25.00 registration fee and a few hours spent raising money for

the Lung Association," she said.

For more information, contact Ms. Ruzic in Montgomery (265-2765) or call the Lung Association office nearest you.

Montgomery - 265-2765; Huntsville - 539-7907; Anniston - 263-LUNG; Tuscaloosa - 349-5665; Birmingham - 938-8821; Dothan - 794-4925; Gadsden - 546-LUNG; Mobile 433-1849.

Carlie Named Collegiate Academic All-American At Troy State

Jimmy Carlie has been named a Collegiate Academic All-American. Carlie, who attends Troy State University, was nominated for the national honor by Charles Chapman, chairman of the Biology Dept. at TSU.

Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in American history," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academic All-American collegiate scholar must earn a 3.30 or better grade-point average.

Jimmy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Carlie. His grandparents are Mrs. W.E. Powell of Brantley and Mrs. Hilton Carlie of Elba.

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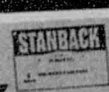
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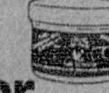
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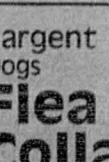
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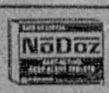
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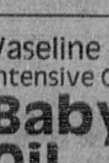
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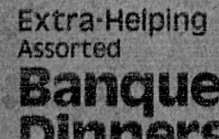
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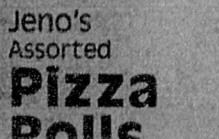
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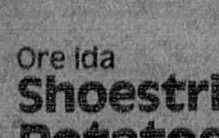
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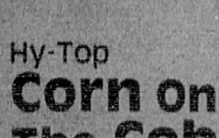
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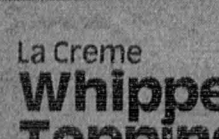
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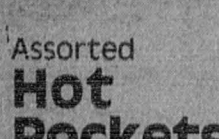
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HERE AT LAST... Elba author Marion Brunson breathed a sigh of relief on Friday, July 24, as copies of his new book, "Pea River Logic," were delivered to his home in Elba. Brunson had expected delivery during the fall of 1986; however, printing delays resulted in the book's delivery last week. Pictured with Brunson is Danny Ott, driver of the freight line truck that delivered the books.

## Latest Marion Brunson book now available to public

Noted Elba author Marion B. Brunson announced this week that his latest book, entitled "Pea River Logic... Hand Me Down From Grandpa's Trunk," had arrived and was now on sale at various locations in Enterprise and from the author in Elba.

The book is the seventh authored by Brunson, now serving as probate judge of Coffee County, and relates humorous and practical sayings from years ago that were once a part of everyday language. The book uses sayings, which Brunson describes as Pea River Logic, and labels the

sayings in such categories as superstitions, weather signs, dream signs, good luck signs and home remedies.

The book was illustrated by Mary Rollins, of Enterprise, and combines the sayings and drawings to make the reader remember days past.

Anyone wishing to purchase the book should send \$8 (plus postage) to Marion Brunson, Rt. 3, Elba, AL 36323.

[Editor's Note: Next week THE ELBA CLIPPER will feature "Pea River Logic" and offer an in-depth look at the new book, sure to be a favorite.]

## Council denies claim for sale of property on Payne Street

The Elba City Council Monday night denied a monetary claim by Mr. Lamar Hall for property Hall said was taken by the city for a road.

Payne Street was paved before Mr. Hall purchased the property, according to the statements to the city council. His information was that the work was done sometime in the early or mid 1960's when the property was owned by relatives of his. However, no records exist of easements being given, etc., and a survey he paid for showed the street on his property. He had agreed to accept \$1250 in cash and for him and the city to exchange quit claim deeds. Mayor Bob English told Hall and the council that City Attorney Mark Vaughan had said it was legal to exchange the deeds and even to pay the money if the council so desired, but it would be setting a precedent for property all over Elba.

## Grand Jury returns two-count indictment against Jackson

The Coffee County Grand Jury met in special session on Wednesday, July 22, and returned a two-count indictment against Willie Simmons Jackson, charged in connection with the beating death and robbery of an elderly Elba man.

The Grand Jury was called into special session by Judge McAllely upon the request of District Attorney Joel Folmar and indicted Jackson (alias Billy Boy) on one count of capital murder and four counts of second-degree robbery. The forgery charges also carry an alternate charge of possession of a forged instrument.

The capital murder indictment was returned because the defendant was engaged in robbery in the first degree at the time of the killing. Bond was denied in the capital murder charge and set at \$10,000 for each forgery charge.

Jackson is accused of killing Elmo B. Roberts, age 87, of Elba, and during a confession read in court Jackson stated he went to Roberts' home to get some money and hit the victim with an iron in an attempt to knock him out. After being unable to knock the elderly man out, Jackson reportedly stabbed Roberts.

## Elba man stabbed in Opp

An Opp woman was arrested last week and charged with attempted murder in connection with the Wednesday stabbing of an Elba man.

According to a spokesman for the Opp Police Dept., Mary Nell Lindsey, age 22, of Opp, was arrested after apparently stabbing Tommy Rayborn of Rt. 3, Elba, at a home in Opp at approximately 8 p.m. on Wednesday night, July 22.

Opp Police Investigator Richard White stated that Rayborn was believed to have been stabbed in the chest with a 5-inch butcher knife and also suffered a collapsed lung in the incident.

The stabbing reportedly took place at a home in Opp that the couple was visiting, and reports indicated that Lindsey and Rayborn had been dating. The couple apparently got into an argument at the home. Residents of the home told authorities that Rayborn had been drinking and yelling at Lindsey from the back porch of the house and stated Rayborn had a knife in a pants pocket at the time. Lindsey then reportedly went outside with a broom and a butcher knife and struck Rayborn on the head with the broom and stabbed him in the chest with the knife.

Rayborn reportedly threw the knife at Lindsey, missing, and then ran off into the night. He was picked up by Opp police at 8:15 at an Opp business and although the stabbing

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, July 27, at the courthouse in Elba and instructed County Attorney Warren Rowe that it planned to take no action on a claim for \$100,000 filed by David Stinson, an Elba resident who claims he was injured while being housed in the Coffee County Jail.

Rowe told the commissioners the jail had no insurance to cover the claim and any payment would have to come from the commission; however, the commission told Rowe it had no plans of honoring the claim and told the attorney to make plans to go to work on the case.

The bi-monthly meeting began at 9 a.m. and after correcting the minutes of the previous meeting heard Revenue Commissioner Ronnie Burns report his office had completed the settlement for 1986, and after completion the settlement had only a 1/100th of one percent error in disbursements. The commission approved the settlement as presented.

R.C. Sconiers Jr. was present at the meeting and presented a petition signed by 219 county residents requesting the commission officially name a road in the southeast portion of the county the "Sconiersville Road."

Sconiers, spokesman for the delegation, told commissioners the road had been called the Harold Godwin Road in recent newspaper reports by a daily newspaper in Enterprise, bringing about the need to have the road officially named.

Sconiers also stated a bridge on the road could be named the Harold Godwin Bridge, and told the history of Sconiersville.

The commission heard the request, but took no action on the proposal to name the unpaved road.

The ongoing discussion of the county paying back the farm center's "building fund" for ink work done on the new multipurpose building again surfaced and the commission was told it would be illegal for the highway department to repay the funds requested by the farm center committee.

The commission discussed Pool's report that delivery of the tractors may take as long as four months, and while a number of commissioners appeared to be in agreement with the engineer, other commissioners took a position that there was a need to pay off the county's debts with the money and then discuss the purchase of the tractors in the spring.

The purchase of the tractors was discussed at length and the vote to buy the equipment was 3-4, in favor of not making the purchase.

Pool voiced surprise at the failure of the motion to pass and declared, "The county's highway department is not equipped to cut grass, repair roads or pave roads. Our equipment is falling apart and it seems like the problem is that the county is overpromised and under-equipped."

Commissioner Billy Eageron took immediate opposition to the engineer's statement and responded, "That is your opinion and I don't think it's right. A great deal of work has been accomplished in Coffee County in recent years with the equipment now in use and more can be accomplished in the future."

Commissioner Sid Averett, who added fuel to the fire by making a motion that all dirt roads on a repair paving list be made ready for paving and not just made "all weather roads," as proposed by the county

The county highway department did work on the concrete pad for the newly constructed multipurpose building and presented the commission with a bill for its services in the amount of approximately \$23,000. Members of the committee felt the charges were out of line and actual reports showed the pad cost was closer to \$9,000.

The committee then asked the commission to reimburse the building fund the difference in cost, but found out it would be illegal for the highway department to make the reimbursement due to the method in which the state funds highway department salaries.

At Monday's meeting the commission agreed it would reimburse the fund in October, when the next budget year begins.

In other action at Monday's meeting the commission:

- Approved a request to let bids on gas and signs and sign posts;
- Approved a request from Elba

division corner Fred Moore for the purchase of a walkie talkie, at a cost of approximately \$500;

- Approved a resolution putting the tobacco tax in effect Sept. 1;
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Commissioner Averett repeated his motion to proceed with the roads on the priority list and acquire needed right-of-way to build the roads up for future paving. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0, with Bryan and Crittenden abstaining.

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